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Transmitted herewith for filing are:

- (1) 45-page patent specification with 62 claims, a title page, and an abstract (also Figures 1-7 on seven sheets); and
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